Subject: Flying Items out of Rosslyn Hotel, and other issues

From: Blair Besten

Date: 08/01/2016 04:12 PM

To: Howard Leslie < howard.leslie@lapd.lacity.org>, Kurt Knecht < Kurt.Knecht@lacity.org>

CC: Al Flores <38683@lapd.lacity.org>, Sean Lewis <34717@lapd.lacity.org>, Mike Flanagan <24857@lapd.lacity.org>

Dear Captain and Kurt:

Rosslyn Hotel (112 W 5th) is becoming more of an issue.

- This week we had a gentleman who lives there set up an encampment on the sidewalk for several days.
- There is what I am told is a designated window with marking (flag or sometimes a shirt or blanket) which area residents have alleged is a dealer. There have been witnesses seeing residents (or someone in the windows) throwing objects down to others waiting on the sidewalk. I have not witnessed this so perhaps I can find someone with more specifics.
- They also have extensive graffiti along their back wall which faces the parking lot to the South.
- Most alarming (and included in the photos below) is that items are thrown onto the pavement below such as bottles and a few days ago, a radio, which nearly missed a pedestrian.

Have they been required to hire new security staff and should we set a collective meeting so that concerns from the community and observations may be expressed?

Thanks,



Blair Besten

209-211 W 5th Street Los Angeles, California 90013

**p** 213.488.1901 **c** 213.700.9829 <u>HistoricCore.BID</u>

FOLLOW US ON: facebook / twitter / instagram

24HR HOTLINE: 213/239-8336

-- Forwarded message -----

From: Molly Larson < Molly.Larson@changelives.org >

Date: Mon, Aug 1, 2016 at 11:14 AM

Subject: RE: Flying Items

To: Blair Besten <blair@historiccore.bid>

Cc: "Brittney Garza (brittney@historiccore.bid)" <bri>brittney@historiccore.bid>, "Noah Strouse (noah@historiccore.bid)"

<noah@historiccore.bid>, Robert Winston < Robert.Winston@changelives.org>

Two e-mails from Winston. I have put the text below and attach the pictures.

E-mail 1: Tenants at Rosslyn Hotel are frequently toss items out of there window Today it was a large radio that shattered in the middle of sidewalk as pedestrian was passing.

E-mail 2: These are some of the items on the ledge that didn't make to the ground.

Thanks.

## **Molly Larson**

**Director of Operations, Chrysalis Enterprises** 

Chrysalis | Changing Lives Through Jobs

Ph: <u>213.806.6340</u> Fx: <u>213.788.7683</u>

Email: Molly.Larson@changelives.org

Website: www.ChrysalisEnterprises.com

Follow us on:



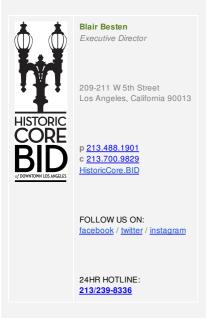
From: Blair Besten [mailto:blair@historiccore.bid]
Sent: Monday, August 01, 2016 11:11 AM

To: Molly Larson

Cc: Brittney Garza (brittney@historiccore.bid); Noah Strouse (noah@historiccore.bid); Robert Winston

Subject: Re: Flying Items

Can't open it. What is it?



On Fri, Jul 29, 2016 at 11:53 AM, Molly Larson < Molly.Larson@changelives.org > wrote:

Hi Brittney,

Attached are some notes and photos from Winston. Scary stuff! Wanted to make sure you were aware.

Thanks,

Molly

| _image1 ing | 2 |  |
|-------------|---|--|
| image1.jpg  | ? |  |
|             |   |  |